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## R. MARPOLE'S NEW POSITION

Will Have Charge of C. P. R. Land and Timber  
Interests on Island—Headquarters  
In Victoria.

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, Feb. 6.—R. Marpole, who has now on his way west, was offered the position of assistant to Second Vice-President Whyte, but declined to leave British Columbia.

It is rumored he will be appointed to take charge of the C. P. R. Company's extensive land and timber interests on Vancouver Island, with headquarters in Victoria.

Mr. Marpole interviewed.

(Associated Press.)

Winnipeg, Feb. 6.—In an interview this night with regard to the future of British Columbia, Mr. Marpole spoke in the most optimistic strain. The west could not be judged, he said by eastern standards. The western motto was "Live and let live." There were piles of gold waiting in British Columbia for young men with grit who were prepared to rustle. Everything in the province was thriving. The fisheries, mines, lumber and fruit interests. The mines at Rossland and in the Boundary districts were especially prosperous. New mills, equipped with the most modern machinery and of large capacity, were being built all over the province, but more especially at the coast.

Questioned with regard to labor from British India and China, Mr. Marpole considered that the Hindu laborer had been a failure, and was little hopeful of that class of labor. Regarding the Chinese laborer, however, Mr. Marpole had a very different opinion. He looked to the Chinese to solve in large part the labor problem, which he maintained had been more serious and more difficult in British Columbia than in any other province of the Dominion.

## NARROW ESCAPE IN BOSTON FIRE

ONE PERSON KILLED  
AND THIRTEEN INJURED

Some Thrilling Rescues—Twenty  
Families Rendered Homeless—  
Loss About \$100,000.

(Associated Press.)

Boston, Mass., Feb. 6.—One man was killed and at least 13 other persons were injured in a fire that destroyed the block occupied by Hunt Bros., department store, and several tenements in Tremont street in the Roxbury crossing district early to-day, causing a monetary loss of upwards of \$100,000. The dead man is Jacob Gold, who was overcome by the smoke. Two of the injured were taken to the city hospital in a critical condition. They are Mrs. Kate Glass and her baby, only two days old. The mother's condition was serious, and she was thought the shock might result fatally while her baby was held. The little one could not recover from the effects of inhaling smoke.

The fire department was hampered by blizzards. Many thrilling rescues were made by the police, firemen and members of the Shamout Athletic Club, which was holding a meeting in the block at the time. The blaze started in the department store, which occupied the first floor of the brick and wooden block which runs from Tremont street back to Columbus. On the Tremont street side of the building the tenements were occupied by 29 families, totalling about 120 persons, and many of these were taken down ladders and from the stairs. Gold was overcome while attempting to make his way down the stairway.

St. John's Episcopal church and many by houses were thrown open to the homeless people, but many suffered severely from the cold. Four children were hurt by being thrown from their ladders by a hot air explosion.

CONFIDENCE IN SWEETENHAM  
Motion Passed by Kingston City Council—Notice Given That It Will Be Rescinded.

(Associated Press.)

Kingston, Feb. 6.—At a meeting of the city council held yesterday, at which the attendance was small, Philip Stern, the representative of Kingston in the legislative council, proposed a motion expressing unqualified confidence in Governor Sweetenham. After a short debate the motion was carried by four votes to two.

The passing of this motion has created much indignation in Kingston, and notice already has been given that it will be rescinded.

## WILL CARRY SAMPLES FREE

GREAT INTEREST IN  
NEW STEAMSHIP LINE

Vessels of the Canadian Mexican  
Company on Their Way Here—  
Trade Possibilities.

(The Canadian - Mexican Pacific)

Steamship Company, which will be inaugurated at the end of March, has decided on its first few trips between British Columbia and Mexican ports and vice versa to carry free samples of all kinds of general merchandise. It will also bring in the vessel business and newspaper men in the interests of trade free of charge during its initial voyages.

This is being done with a view to showing the immense possibilities which the new enterprise opens up and the reciprocal advantages which both British Columbia and Mexico will reap from an interchange of commodities. Specimens are being sent in to the local office of the company, and their sale not only from merchants and shipping men along the Pacific seaboard, but also from interested parties in the interior of the Dominion.

It is fully anticipated that the new steamship company will do a large trade with the new Trans-Pacific line, which is now in operation between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. Negotiations are pending between these two companies, and the result will greatly facilitate the transportation of goods.

Already this great intercontinental route has prospects of freight in sight for this year of 600,000 tons, which is 33 per cent. more than the Panama railroad ever carried in a year. To meet the shipping traffic in connection with this route open roadsteads along the Mexican seaboard have been converted into safe harbors. The line runs from Salina Cruz on the Pacific Coast to a place called Puerto de Mexico, hitherto known as Coahuacalco, on the Atlantic.

The Georgia one of the vessels which will operate for the Canadian-Mexican Pacific Steamship Company, has reached Guayaquil, in Central Africa, on her way out here from Liverpool. There she is discharging a cargo of fuel, and in a few days will sail for Salina Cruz. The sailing in connection with the new enterprise will be made from that port to Victoria and Vancouver. The Lonsdale, the other vessel which will operate with the Georgia, sailed from London on the 1st inst.

In connection with the company there will be one sailing a month, and it is thought that the round trip will take about 35 days. If the two vessels are not sufficient to cope with either the passenger or freight traffic, another will be brought out from England immediately.

To-night Capt. Worsnop, general manager of the company, leaves for Mexican ports to make final arrangements. F. E. Dixon, of the firm of Harris & Dixon, of London, who came with Capt. Worsnop to Victoria in the interests of the company, has left for Northern British Columbia ports to investigate the prospects of business along the coast line.

THE DEATH OF JOHN TRUTH  
The death of John Truth occurred at midnight, February 3, at his home, 45 Halford road, Richmond, Surrey, England, according to a cable just received.

The late Mr. Truth was born at Kingston, Jamaica, in 1828, the third son of the late William Truth, of Apthorp, Somerset, England. By profession a civil engineer, he went to Oregon in the early fifties, but being essentially an Englishman he soon decided to live under his own flag. He came to British Columbia in 1857. His profession took him to almost every part of the province, which involved in those pioneer days, many arduous journeys. He was highly educated and was known throughout the province by all "old timers" as an upright and honorable gentleman.

In partnership with his brother, the late Sir Joseph Trutch, K. C. M. G., who was afterwards the first lieutenant governor of British Columbia, he constructed the Cariboo wagon road through the Fraser river canon, and the Alexandra suspension bridge, which is now so much advertised as a beautiful landmark to the C. P. R. traveler.

From 1885 to 1888 he resided permanently in Victoria; since then he has made his home in England, and never returned to the province except for a three months' visit in the summer of 1897.

In 1870 he married Zoe, youngest sister of the late Sir Anthony Musgrave, Governor of British Columbia. She died in 1894. He leaves an only daughter, to mourn his loss. His youngest son was the late Mrs. O'Reilly, wife of the late Hon. P. O'Reilly, of Point

## LUMBER MAY BE ADVANCED

OWING TO PRESENT  
SCARCITY OF LOGS

The Mills Are Unable to Secure Ade-  
quate Supply—Tug Lying  
Idle.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Feb. 6.—Lumbermen declare that unless logs drop in price an increase in the selling rates of lumber will occur. Rough lumber is now \$22 per thousand. Logs are now selling at \$12 and are so scarce that some mills are unable to run full time. Along the northern coast logs are so scarce that practically all the logs usually engaged in towing are now lying in Vancouver harbor awaiting the placing of more logs in the water. A number of new log skiffs are being put in and it seems likely that in six months logs will be more plentiful.

GAIN FOR VICTORIA.

Well-Known Welsh Musician to Con-  
duct Mass Choir in Connection  
With Y. M. C. A.

James Morgan, who has won considerable fame as a musician in Wales, is in Victoria at present. On Thursday evening at the Y. M. C. A. he will take steps to organize a male voice choir, and will meet all gentlemen willing to avail themselves of the opportunity.

Mr. Morgan from the age of ten has taken an active interest in music, and is well known in Wales for his triumphs in his favorite activity. As a boy of home town advantage, he was a member of the celebrated Welsh Conductors' Club, the South Wales Choral Union, conducted by the renowned "Caradoc." When 15 years of age he developed into a bass singer and he was constantly in demand throughout the southern part of Wales as a soloist, performing books and miscellaneous concerts and oratorios, taking a leading part in the standard works of Handel, Mozart, Mendelssohn and Elgar.

He then studied voice production and singing for two and a half years with Professor Lawrence, the noted musician of Merthyn Tydfil, who was, by the way, the favorite pupil of the reputed "Mozart." He commenced choral conducting and soon became famous in the Motherland as a choral conductor. He celebrated his first male voice choir, and won many hundreds of pounds in competition, winning the national prize two years ago at Mountain Ash. A serious break in health then forced retirement and Mr. Morgan came to this country to repair his shattered nerves. He is now in the office of David Spencer, Co., and spends his leisure time at his beloved music. His new friends on this continent are the well known Dr. Thomas Herbert and Physician Thomas of Winnipeg. He carries valuable trophies of his competition and two public testimonials.

ANNUAL MEETING OF  
HORTICULTURALISTS  
Officers For Ensuing Year Elected  
and Report of Officials  
Received.

The sixth annual meeting of the members of the Victoria Horticultural Society was held in the room of the Young Men's Christian Association last night, when the following officers for the current year were elected: Honorary president, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir James W. G. MacBain; vice-presidents, Mr. Henry Croft, Mrs. F. S. Barnard, B. W. Pearce, Major C. T. Dupont, W. F. Fennell, P. H. Wollaston and P. B. Pemberton; honorary treasurer, E. E. Billinghurst; secretary, James A. Bland; and directors, C. H. Arundell, L. Russell, James Mantion, P. T. James, John Sherburn, His Honor Judge Lampman, W. B. Gage, Miss L. Angus, E. A. Wallace and Dr. E. Hasell.

The report of the board of directors is as follows: It is again the duty and pleasure of the officers and board of directors to present to the members of the society their report for another year. As will be remembered, it was decided, at a meeting of the board, to hold a flower show in addition to the annual flower show. This show was held on the corner of Fort street, and while it proved to be small to accommodate the numerous exhibitors, the show was, nevertheless, from a financial point of view, a success, and a very creditable one. The annual flower show, through the kindness of Colonel Holmes, D. C. C., was again held in the drill hall, on the 1st and 2nd of August, dates which seemed to be too early for some and which, unfortunately, coincided with the annual tournament of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club. While there was a noted falling off of exhibitors in class C, the exhibits in class B, the professional and open amateur classes, while in the quality of the exhibits themselves there was a very marked improvement, known as the British Columbia Horticultural Society, and the latter gentleman's song in the latest London variety hit.

## RAILWAY TRAVEL WILL BE HEAVY

OFFICIALS PREPARE  
FOR BUSY SEASON

Excursion Rates to Coast Will Be  
Lower Than in Former  
Years.

(Associated Press.)

Winnipeg, Feb. 6.—Railway officials of transcontinental railways are now beginning to make extra efforts in preparation for the traffic westward in the spring and summer months. The present year, according to reports, promises to eclipse all previous years in the excursion line, and in addition in a large number of immigrants, thousands of tourists and travelers are expected to visit British Columbia. The tourist travel promises to be heavy during the summer.

In accordance with the custom of former years, special cheap excursions will be run from Eastern Canada points to the Pacific coast. The rates offered are a material reduction over the usual rates and no doubt will be warranted by the increase of travel which is sure to follow.

Several important conventions will be held on the Pacific coast this year, and consequently traffic will be heavier. In May the Mystic Shrine will meet in Los Angeles. Sixty thousand delegates will go west, and it is expected that this majority will return by way of the C. P. R. The Christian Endeavor convention will take fully 75,000 delegates to Seattle.

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The present position of the parties is as follows: Centre, 105; Conservatives, 80; Agrarian and Anti-Semite group, 22; National Liberals, 55; Radicals, 46; Socialists, 43; Poles, 20; "Alte-Deutsche-Partei," 10; Independents, 10; Guelph party, 1; Danish party, 1.

The defeat of the Socialists in the Kingdom of Saxony, where they lost thirteen seats, caused astonishment. The Emperor was returning to the palace shortly before midnight, after having a lecture on turbine engines, when he first met the enormous crowd spreading toward the palace. His Majesty's automobile was surrounded and he was scarcely able to advance. The people followed the Emperor to the palace, where thousands were waiting for the Emperor to address them. He did, and his remarks were received with prolonged applause. The government now counts upon 387 to 200 members of the reichstag to support the colonial policy upon which the house was dissolved.

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organism.

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cure of female troubles, as has Lydia  
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## DECIDES AGAINST YARDMEN.

Charles Fraser His Decision in Dispute  
Between Railway and Yardmen.

New York, Feb. 6.—Judge Gray, of  
Delaware, umpire in the dispute be-  
tween the yard brakemen and conductors  
and the various railroad companies as to  
an increase of wages of one cent  
an hour, has decided against the yard-  
men. The roads upon which the men  
made the demands were the Jersey, Le-  
high Valley, Baltimore and Ohio, Dela-  
ware—Lackawanna and Western and the Erie.

## KILLED BY DYNAMITE.

Cheney, Feb. 6.—Charles Peterson, a  
native of Sweden, about 30 years of  
age, met sudden death about 8 o'clock  
this morning while working out dynamite  
at a blacksmith's forge.

The body was badly mutilated, one hand  
being blown fifty yards, both eyes  
blown out and scarcely a bone left.

Mr. Peterson was employed by the  
Portland & Seattle Railway Company  
as dynamite foreman. He came from  
the Milwaukee road to the Bala Bros.  
& Moran camp, two and one half miles  
from town, on January 26th.

The shop was blown to pieces. It is  
thought that 100 sticks of dynamite  
were in the shop.

## SEEKS RUNNING RIGHTS.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—Hon. H. R. Emmerson,  
Hon. W. S. Fielding and Mr. Pet-  
tinger, of the Intercolonial railway,  
met Sir Thomas Shaughnessy today  
and discussed the application of the  
Canadian Pacific for running rights  
over the Intercolonial railway, with  
the right to local business between St.  
John and Halifax. The conference ad-  
journd to let the Intercolonial rail-  
way prepare terms upon which this  
will be granted.

## THE LUMBER SITUATION.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—A resolution has  
been passed in the House looking to  
the appointment of a committee to ex-  
amine into the price and conditions of  
the lumber business in Manitoba, Sas-  
katchewan and Alberta.

To-night members of Columbia  
lodges, No. 37, O. O. F., will hold a  
social at 1011 on Douglas street.  
All members of the order will be made  
welcome. Old fellows who desire in-  
vitation cards for friends may obtain  
them from the following committee:  
Bros. P. W. Dempster, J. Wilby and  
A. MacGregor.

The Mayne Island Club held a  
most successful entertainment last  
week in their hall at the Pass. The  
proceeds were applied to the sanatorium  
fund. The thanks are due by the club  
to their many friends in Victoria, Salt  
Spring, Pender and Galiano, who as-  
sisted in its success.

The battleship Oregon, of the United  
States navy, is undergoing repairs at  
the Puget Sound navy yard. The esti-  
mated cost of the work is \$5,000.

The steamer Pielades, of the Bos-  
ton Tea Boat Company, which has  
been watched for the past four  
days, arrived this afternoon.

Mrs. R. R. Woodill, the Poplars,  
who was stricken with paralysis on  
Monday morning, is somewhat better  
to-day.

The Kolsa, ladies' 12 button white  
kid gloves. Regular, \$2.75, reduced to  
\$2.00 at Robinson's cash store, 85 Yates  
street.

Mrs. and Miss Olive Phillips Wol-  
ley, of Pier Island, are at the Balmoral.

Mrs. Dr. Lewis Hall is confined to  
her home with a gripe.

CLAIMANTS FOR  
THE VACANCIES

A. E. McPHILLIPS MAY  
BE ATTORNEY-GENERAL

W. J. Bowser and W. R. Ross After  
Cabinet Honors—Official Count  
of Ballots.

Premier McPhillips' condition is im-  
proving, and it is expected that he will  
be able to sit up in a little while to-day.  
He will not leave his home, however,  
this week.

While no steps have yet been taken  
to fill the vacancies in the cabinet, it  
is generally expected that A. E. Mc-  
Phillips, R. C. May and J. H. Greer  
will be called into the position of attorney-general  
when the government was formed. Be-  
tween the premier and Mr. McPhillips  
there is a very warm friendship dating  
back to the days when they were in  
opposition together.

W. J. Bowser, of Vancouver, and W.  
R. Ross, of Fernie, will undoubtedly  
lack at being left out of the cabinet  
should Mr. McPhillips be called in, but  
the premier will be able to refer these  
to the fact that Mr. McPhillips played  
a part in his behalf while yet in op-  
position. Further than that if the pre-  
mier selects Dewdney as the riding he  
will represent in the House, there is  
the additional claim that Vancouver  
island deserves recognition in the gov-  
ernment.

In addition to Mr. McPhillips there  
is also the veteran parliamentarian, D.  
M. Eberts, K. C., who has been looked  
upon as a probable member of the gov-  
ernment.

The impression prevails that upon  
the House assembling, Premier Mc-  
Phillips will resign his Victoria seat and  
sit for Dewdney. Nothing can be done  
until a speaker is selected, as the  
resignation must be forwarded to the  
speaker. If Victoria is opened H. Dal-  
las-Helmcken expects to receive the  
Conservative nomination. Geo. Jay,  
who has been prominent in the local  
Conservative Association, would also  
accept the nomination if tendered to  
him.

There is every likelihood that there  
may be a reorganization of the depart-  
ments including a separation of the  
lands and the works divisions of what  
is now one department. For a long  
time there has been a proposal to  
carry this out, it being felt that the  
work in connection with that depart-  
ment was out of proportion to the  
duties thrust upon the holders of the  
other portfolios.

Provision may, therefore, be made  
for an additional minister, the name of  
E. Carter-Cotton being mentioned for  
one of the divisions.

H. C. Brewster, the member of the  
in Alberta, has arrived in Vi-  
ctoria to-day to receive the  
congratulations of his many friends  
for the splendid victory he won, de-  
feating Hon. W. Masson, the provin-  
cial secretary, who had been nursing  
the constituency for over a year pre-  
paratory to the election. Mr. Brew-  
ster's victory was therefore, one of the  
greatest in the election.

W. H. Hayward, the Conservative  
member elected for Cowichan, is also  
in Victoria to-day.

## OFFICIAL ACCOUNT.

The official count of the ballots at the  
provincial election was completed last  
evening, and showed that there were  
19 spoiled ballots.

The candidates received the following  
votes:

Hon. Richard McBride	1,614
Hon. J. H. Greer	1,461
Hon. W. Masson	1,371
Hon. R. L. Drury	1,192
W. G. Cameron	1,164
J. H. McPhillips	1,062
E. A. Hall	900
J. C. Watters	448
A. Johnson	437
W. H. Marston	286

The spoiled ballots in nearly every  
case were due to electors having voted  
for more than four candidates. There  
was only about one instance of the  
ballot being marked outside of the dis-  
cussion, which proves the open ballot  
system suggested to the legislature by J. D.  
McNiven to be well nigh perfect.

## EQUINAL.

The official count in Esquimalt gives  
John Jardine, the Liberal candidate, a  
majority of 87 votes. The polling  
places in Esquimalt constituency gave  
the following vote:

Equinault	134
Metochin	23
Port Renfrew	3
Outer Point	2
East Sooke	3
West Sooke	2
Shawnigan Lake	4
Majority for Jardine	87

In the Islands, A. E. McPhillips, the  
Conservative candidate, obtained a ma-  
jority of 6 votes, the returns according  
to the official count being as follows:

South Salt Spring	23
North Salt Spring	23
Gabriola	19
Kaslo	18
Kaslo, North	18
Galiano	10
Mayne	10
Thetis and Kuper	10
Total	173

## POLICE CAPTAIN SLAIN.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 5.—Policeman  
Isaac Ewells walked into the office of  
Police Capt. Kolsapfel to-day and with-  
out warning of cause, so far as can be  
ascertained, shot him through the  
heart. He then fired at Chief Boyle.

After the murder he fought like a  
adman against being locked in a cell.

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## COMES OFF WAYS.

This morning the steel screw steamer  
Tasmania came off the ways at Point  
Ellice bridge, where she has been un-  
dergoing repairs for some time past.  
She has had a new propeller and a half-  
inch hull built over the steel, a new  
boiler with 180 pounds steam pressure  
fitted, and having been thoroughly  
overhauled she is ready for work again.

The Tasmania was built in Cowes,  
Tasmania, and was the Canadian De-  
partment Company. She was brought  
out here in sections in 1897, and was  
first operated on Lake Bennett. From  
there she was transported to Skagway  
and afterwards under the command of  
Captain Huff she operated on the Al-  
berta canal for two years. Last sum-  
mer she was fitted as patrol boat to the  
fisheries department on the Fraser  
river.

The Tasmania is fitted for passengers  
and has a speed of ten miles an hour.  
She will resume her work of towing  
and carrying shooting parties, etc. The  
agent for the vessel is J. H. Greer, 46  
Yates street.

## PUGET SOUND TRADE.

The gradual increase in the business  
of the Kosmos line has resulted in the  
company dispatching its largest  
freighters to Puget Sound, says Tues-  
day's Seattle Times, and D. W. Bur-  
chard, local agent, said this morning  
that the steamship Abyssinia, a 9,000-  
ton ship, would not doubt come to the  
Pacific coast. The Abyssinia is one of  
the eight vessels the company has un-  
der charter from the Hamburg-Ameri-  
can Company, and is expected to the Kos-  
mos fleet of thirty-six steamships.

The steamship Salinas, one of the  
new 8,000-ton vessels recently launched,  
is now at Tacoma, but will come to  
Seattle in a few days. The company's  
steamship Amasis is due to sail from  
Seattle for Seattle to-day.

Among the freight shipments will be  
1,000 tons of copper and gold ore for the  
Tacoma smelter.

Commencing with 1907 the Kosmos  
line is giving a ten-days' service to San  
Francisco and Puget Sound, and will  
leave for the Kosmos line first entered the  
trade in 1901 the service was monthly.

## FOR COLOMA HEROINE.

Yet another mark of appreciation for  
the services rendered in connection  
with the wreck of the barque Coloma is  
forthcoming. This time it takes the  
form of a handsome gold medal to be  
presented by the Masters and Pilots'  
Association of Seattle to Mrs. Patterson,  
who has earned the title of the "Grace  
Darling" of the West Coast. The in-  
scription on the reverse side of the  
medal reads: "Presented by Puget  
Sound Harbor, No. 18, to Mrs. Minnie  
Patterson, for her heroic effort in send-  
ing assistance to the barque Coloma,  
December 7th, 1906, whereby the lives  
of ten men were saved by the D. G. S.  
Quadrant."

The obverse side is the figure of a  
woman fighting her way through the  
brush, with the Latin inscription mean-  
ing: "She hastened that she might save  
others."

The medal will be presented, together  
with embossed resolutions, by the  
British vice-consul at Seattle.

## PLUNGED INTO DARKNESS.

The Amur, which reached port last  
night, brought news that the power  
house at Ketchikan, Alaska, was burn-  
ed to the ground a few days ago. The  
town is now without electric light, and  
swinging to the severe cold, when a large  
amount of fuel was consumed, is prac-  
tically without fuel.

After the installation of a custom  
house at Prince Rupert the Amur was  
the first vessel to clear from that port.  
She is due to sail again to-day for  
Northern British Columbia ports.

## QUEEN CITY IN PORT.

Steamer Queen City, Capt. Townsend,  
reached port last night, having been as-  
sured north as Cape Scott. During her  
trip she encountered a lot of rough  
weather, and when off Cape Beale  
homeward bound, ran into stiff head  
winds and heavy seas. She reports that  
sailing schooners along the island  
pass have great difficulty in securing  
Indians for hunting purposes.

The following passengers were landed  
at Victoria: H. Brewster, the Liberal  
member-elect for Alberni, who defeated  
the Hon. W. Masson, provincial sec-  
retary.

## A FEW SPECIALS

NIAGARA STREET (close to Beacon Hill)—1 lot, \$300.

BATTERY STREET (close to Beacon Hill)—1 lot, \$300.

SOUTH ROAD—Pembroke street, 2 lots (44x150), with 6 roomed house, bath  
room, pantry, etc., a bargain, \$2,000.

OAK HAY AVENUE—2 lots (20x120), with 7 roomed house, bath, pantry,  
chicken house and shed, cheap, \$4,200.

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salary at the recent election; G. R.  
Talbot and H. Forbes, who have re-  
ceived a shooting expedition at  
Clayoquot; J. J. Welsh and Miss Col-  
lins.

The Queen City will leave to-morrow  
night for Clayoquot and way ports on  
the west coast of the island.

## MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Otter, which plies between  
Victoria and Nanaimo, will leave  
here at 12:30 p. m. to-day. She carries  
some general freight for the Royal City,  
and will return to Victoria to-  
morrow night.

As soon as the Henrietta comes off  
the ways at the Victoria Machinery  
Depot she will be replaced by the Two  
Brothers, of Vancouver, which will  
undergo a thorough overhauling.

The barque J. M. Weatherfield, which  
is now in the Royal Roads, will leave  
here in a few days for the Sound,  
where she will load lumber.

Early this morning steamer Tango  
Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha  
line, sailed for Yokohama carrying a  
large miscellaneous cargo.

For the purpose of shipping a crew of  
Indian hunters the sailing schooner  
Allie J. Alkan has sailed for the West  
Coast of the Island.

C. P. R. steamer Princess Beatrice  
coming from Skagway is scheduled to  
arrive here on Friday.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

## THE DRARD.

H. C. Strong and wife, Ketchikan,  
Alaska; Chas. W. Welles, Vancouver;  
C. A. Sulzer, Sulzer, Alaska; G. R. Mac-  
Kenzie, S. P. Moody, Vancouver; G. V.  
Coles, New York; Geo. W. Rupper and  
wife, Seattle; Thos. E. Cramp, B. Thomas,  
Seattle; E. E. Cramp, Seattle; S. B. Miller,  
Crofton, B. C.; G. M. Wilson, Van-  
couver; J. N. Copps, Calgary; M. W. Wen-  
hoff, Los Angeles; F. Steinfeld, Milne;  
Grant Pyke, Milne; Oppenheimer, Van-  
couver; H. Stewart, J. O. Thorpe,  
Williamson, Seattle; Mrs. C. B. Holmes,  
Crofton.

## THE KING EDWARD.

H. McCloskey, John W. Whelan, Na-  
naimo; G. H. Hadwin, Duncan; F.  
Lloyd, Washington; W. C. Chiller, Van-  
couver; A. D. Dixon, London, Eng.; G. P.  
Cathera, J. F. Bledsoe, Vancouver; Sey-  
mour Green, Moose Jaw; G. W. Home,  
Vancouver; R. Stewart, J. O. Thorpe,  
Vancouver; A. C. Alexander, D. J. Shon-  
dise, Calgary; S. McGibbon, Mexico  
City.

## DOMINION.

Wm. Manson and wife, Nanaimo; E.  
Walton and wife, New York; G. S. Har-  
ris, Pender Island; J. H. Brown, Sidney;  
J. J. Donnan, Vancouver; Fred G. Nos-  
torf, D. P. Pierce, Seattle; A. K. Mac-  
farlane, Vancouver; A. Harro, Winni-  
peg; M. C. Walker, Milne; B. C. E.  
Conan, Vancouver; T. W. Hart, Van-  
couver; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Patterson,  
Calgary; P. H. Cook, New Alberni; Jessie  
MacCollins, Clayoquot; H. L. Antone,  
Port Renfrew; Percy Purvis, danges, B.  
C.; E. B. Joseph, N. J. Bennett, Van-  
couver; A. MacDonald, Victoria; H. E.  
Hanna, Saanich.

## THE QUEEN'S.

John Ross, San Francisco; J. Kenstere,  
Morden, Man.; J. T. Morrison, Port Simp-  
son; Major Macfarlane, Cobble Hill; Roy-  
lance, Nanaimo; George Hamay, V.  
May, Tacoma; V. Stewart, Nanaimo; J.  
Cowan, B. C.; R. H. Brown, Montreal; J.  
P. Alcombrack, Vancouver; M. Thomp-  
son, T. Schacht; J. W. Rogers, Anacortes;  
J. A. Johnson, Seattle.

## VICTORIA.

F. Chubb, Tod Innes, H. E. Frills, R. R.  
Griffin, Vancouver; Miss Arnold, L. R.  
Willow, New York; W. D. Creighton,  
San Francisco; Mrs. E. Johnston, Van-  
couver; Edw. Scoupen, St. Johns, N. A.  
Silverthorne, Winnipeg; B. McMillan, M.  
D. Mexico; H. N. Thornton, Cherry,  
Arizona; J. H. Welch, Clayoquot; J. A.  
Walker, B. C.; J. T. Morrison, Port Simp-  
son; S. J. Healy, Puzok, W. C. Keeling,  
Vancouver.

Sam. Sea left yesterday morning for the  
Comox valley to spend a short time duck  
shooting.

## NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

Designs for New Departmental  
and Justice Buildings at Ottawa, is here-  
by EXTENSION OF TIME.

The time for receiving competitive de-  
signs for the proposed new Departmental  
and Justice Buildings at Ottawa, is here-  
by extended from April 15th to July 1st,  
1907.

By order.

FRED GELINAS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works,  
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**PIRE AT HAZELTON.**

General Store Destroyed—Loss Estimated at Over Ten Thousand Dollars.

Early on Monday morning the store of E. S. Sargent, general merchant, Hazelton, was burned to the ground. The alarm was given at 2 a.m., but before any one could reach the scene the fire had made such headway that it was impossible to approach the building and absolutely nothing was saved. All books and the contents of the safe, consisting of considerable sum in bank notes and cheques, along with the contents of the post office, were destroyed. The loss is roughly estimated at over \$10,000, insured for \$3,000.

The class fell to 23 below zero Sunday night, the coldest in 20 years.

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## EVIDENCE FOR THE DEFENCE

### TESTIMONY OF DOCTORS IN THE THAW CASE

Witnesses Subjected to Severe Cross Examination By District Attorney Jerome.

New York, Feb. 5.—The task of proving to a jury that Harry Thaw was insane, through hereditary and mental stress, when he shot and killed Stanford White, was taken up to-day by the defence in this famous case, but when adjournment was announced later in the afternoon it was the general opinion in the courtroom that but little progress had been made. Thaw's attorneys endeavored in vain to place before the jury evidence tending to show that he was sane at the time of the crime, and to prove a strain of insanity in the collateral branches of the defendant's family, but they were blocked at every point by District Attorney Jerome, whose objections were upheld by the rulings of Justice Fitzgerald. The defence did, however, get before the jury the testimony of an expert in the field of insanity, Thaw's father, who said that his father and mother were sane at the time of the crime, and that his father was sane at the time of the crime.

The prosecution was relentless in its attack, and before he had finished Dr. Wiley protestingly declared: "I did not come here as an expert. I came as a witness to a fact, and I have been converted into an expert without being prepared for it."

The district attorney astonished everybody by his intimate knowledge of medicine and his technical phrases, demonstrating the case with which he had prepared to meet the very defence which Thaw's counsel have entered in his behalf.

Mr. Jerome, searchingly inquired into Dr. Wiley's record as a physician and as an expert in insanity. He hurled whole volleys of technical questions at the witness, who at times sat mute and at other times declared that he could not answer, or gave evasive replies. Often he brought upon himself a sharp warning from the district attorney to make a reply and not an argument.

Dr. Wiley testified that he had predicted his opinion as to Thaw's insanity upon his actions on the night of the tragedy, as described to him in a hypothetical question propounded by the defence, and upon an incident which he witnessed on a Pittsburgh street car during the summer of 1905. Thaw, said the doctor, acted irrationally on the car, coming in suddenly and jerking up one of the window blinds, slamming it down and then lifting it again, the while engaging in a wordy war with the conductor.

"Have you ever examined the defendant with any of the recognized tests of insanity?" asked Mr. Jerome. "No," replied the witness. "Have you ever conversed with him?" "No," replied the witness. The district attorney then drew from the witness the opinion that Thaw's was not the manner of a sane man, but that of a man who was insane, and that he was not acting of his own free will, but was acting under the influence of insanity when he committed the crime.

At times Dr. Wiley seemed entirely baffled by the questions. He hesitated at each, and before he could answer Mr. Jerome had framed another query, replete with impressive sounding technical terms of medicine and apparently offering a problem no less difficult than his predecessors. The witness admitted that many of the tests to which the district attorney referred in discussing insanity were unknown to him, and when he was asked to quote from any accepted work on insanity, declared that he could not deliver the exact language of any book.

Mr. Jerome, well of knowledge, however, seemed never to run dry. He carried his cross-examination through practically the entire morning, and for an hour and twenty minutes after luncheon continued to ply the witness with all manner of questions. It was necessary for the witness several times to run down the outskirts of laughter. Thaw's counsel sat silent and without protest as Mr. Jerome grilled the first witness for the defence. Thaw himself seemed to take but little interest in the cross-examination at the outset, but later began to take notice, and was often in earnest conversation with those of his counsel who sat nearest him. At times Thaw could not altogether suppress the suggestion of a grin at the keenness of some of Mr. Jerome's questions and the subtle

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humor they so thinly concealed. But before the close of the day

Thaw seemed to worry.

He bit his finger nails and seemed anxious for the doctor's ordeal to end. His attorneys appeared a bit puzzled at first, but evidently determined to give the district attorney the widest liberty.

It was at the close of Mr. Jerome's cross-examination of Dr. Wiley that the attempt was made to introduce testimony tending to show the strain of insanity said to have existed in certain branches of the Thaw family. Among the witnesses called to the stand was Albert Lee Thaw of Richmond, Va., who said that his father and mother were sane at the time of the crime, and that his father was sane at the time of the crime.

From the witness the fact that his father died in an asylum for the insane, when Mr. Jerome objected. He declared the relationship of both the witness and his father too far removed for the defendant to be competent. "And the law," he added, "is not satisfied that a man is insane merely because he dies in an asylum or is treated for persons suffering from mental disorders. The fact that a man dies in an institution such as that conducted by Dr. Wiley, this eminent specialist, has had upon the stand to-day, for instance, is no proof that he was insane. There must be competent testimony to the fact."

Justice Fitzgerald upheld this view of the matter, saying, however, that his ruling was

Subject to Revision if the attorneys for the defence would cite authorities on the subject. Mr. Gleason, who alone conducted the case for Thaw to-day, did cite some causes, but promised to have more authorities in court to-morrow.

The defence next introduced as a witness Benjamin Bowman, who testified that in June, 1904, he had a conversation with the defendant. He was about to tell what the conversation was, when Mr. Jerome, interrupting, declared a conversation so far back was not relevant or material.

Justice Fitzgerald again called upon Thaw's attorneys for citations of authorities covering the introduction of testimony of the character proposed.

"We did not expect to reach this witness to-day," explained Mr. Gleason, "and I have not my authorities here." Justice Fitzgerald sustained Mr. Jerome's objection, and the witness stepped aside.

Dr. C. H. Hinkman of Pittsburgh, who has been a physician of long standing, testified that he had known Harry Thaw ever since his infancy. He had treated him once for

St. Vitus' Dance. He seemed to be a lad of a highly nervous temperament, and slept badly at night. His cross-examination was brief.

"How old was the defendant when he had St. Vitus' Dance?" Mr. Jerome asked.

"Seven,"

"That is all, doctor." Dr. John P. Deemer, of Pittsburg, Pa., the family physician of the Copleys' Mrs. William Thaw, the prisoner's mother, having been a Copley, was the last witness of the day. He was called to testify as to the mental condition of John Rose, a cousin of Harry K. Thaw, when Mr. Jerome objected.

Justice Fitzgerald held that until the defence introduced testimony of the introduction of testimony of the collateral insanity were presented, he thought it right to rule out all such testimony for the time being.

Mr. Gleason again protested, in vain. It was at that point that adjournment until to-morrow was ordered.

**BURIED BY SNOWSLIDE.** Salida, Colo., Feb. 5.—The bodies of seven out of the eight victims of the snowslide that came down Monarch mountain last night were recovered from beneath great drifts of snow and broken timbers to-day. Of the recovered bodies two may die. Mason's boarding house and two other buildings were demolished.

**TIDE TABLE.** Victoria, B. C., February, 1907.

Date. Time of High Water. Time of Low Water. Time of Sunrise. Time of Sunset.

1. 6:28 A. M. 11:10 P. M. 7:12 A. M. 5:27 P. M.  
2. 6:42 A. M. 10:58 P. M. 7:25 A. M. 5:15 P. M.  
3. 6:56 A. M. 10:46 P. M. 7:38 A. M. 5:03 P. M.  
4. 7:10 A. M. 10:34 P. M. 7:51 A. M. 4:51 P. M.  
5. 7:24 A. M. 10:22 P. M. 8:04 A. M. 4:39 P. M.  
6. 7:38 A. M. 10:10 P. M. 8:17 A. M. 4:27 P. M.  
7. 7:52 A. M. 9:58 P. M. 8:30 A. M. 4:15 P. M.  
8. 8:06 A. M. 9:46 P. M. 8:43 A. M. 4:03 P. M.  
9. 8:20 A. M. 9:34 P. M. 8:56 A. M. 3:51 P. M.  
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## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

The beautiful electric statuary as displayed in the windows of the B. C. Furniture Co. is attracting a great deal of attention.

A paper on "The Child With Two Parents" will be read before the Mothers' Club at their meeting in the Spring Ridge school this afternoon.

Ladies' and misses' crayonette coats must go. Prices from \$4.00 up. All now reduced. Robinson's cash store, 36 Yates st.

When the steamer Venture left Port Esquimaux last Friday there were four or five cases of scarlet fever at the port.

The manager of the Seamen's Institute on Langley street, being confined for his bed with a bad attack of the grippe, the reading room will not be open after 5 p.m. for a few days.

The Rev. Leslie Gray will officiate at the funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret O'Connell, which will take place from the family residence, No. 5 Boley street, this afternoon.

Miss Kierpach has kindly consented to give a synopsis of the play, Sarah Bernhardt's great play, at the weekly meeting of the B. C. Furniture Co. to be held this evening at the Balmoral hotel.

Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, an old resident of Nanaimo, who had lived there for 25 years, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Martell, on Monday. Mrs. Campbell formerly lived in Nova Scotia.

According to City Water Commissioner Raymer, the experimental dam at Millstream in good condition. The returns for January show that there passed over the dam 325,615,529 gallons of water.

The residents of Ladysmith on Monday night assembled in the opera house and presented Dr. and Mrs. Watson with a sterling silver service on their leaving Ladysmith. On behalf of the Ladysmith Football Club, Mrs. Watson was presented with a beautiful jewel case.

The evangelistic meetings in the Old Grand theatre are increasing in interest nightly. Last evening W. A. Hillis, Cleveland, Ohio, superintendent of the American Sunday school union, delivered a most interesting and effective address. Mr. Hillis speaks again on Tuesday night. He is a brother of the Rev. Dr. Nevell Dwight Hillis, and possesses his brother's happy faculty of telling a story well. Miss Thompson will sing to-night.

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Antique Furniture.—Special attention is drawn to the advertisement in the current edition of the "Herald" and "Advertiser," in which they advertise to sell by auction the very old mahogany furniture of the late Allan Francis, first American consul to this city. This furniture is of the very oldest of its kind and in good condition. Antiques seekers should not miss this sale, which takes place to-morrow (Thursday). There will also be modern furniture of very good quality in this sale.

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On the recommendation of the managing committee, your trustees have authorized the engagement of Mr. Jones as physical instructor in the hope that this will lead to an increased interest being taken in athletic work by the members during the winter months, and your trustees would strongly urge all members to give a portion of their time to the opportunities provided for physical instruction.

Your trustees hope that the managing committee for 1907 will at an early date consider what is necessary in order to further increase the membership of the association and to induce members to take a continual interest in all that is going on during the year.

The managing committee's report reads as follows:

To the President and Members of the James Bay Athletic Association, Ltd.

Gentlemen.—The managing committee of the James Bay Athletic Association have much pleasure in herewith submitting the sixteenth annual report and financial statement.

Your committee again state with every satisfaction that the financial affairs of the club have been in a very good condition, and that the membership has been well maintained. The committee would again take the opportunity of urging that the youth of the city take an active interest in the affairs of this association by becoming members, and greatly encourage those in charge of the association, and always have at command members who can be selected to worthily uphold the association in all branches of sport.

It will be observed that the association since we made our last annual report has installed two billiard tables, which have been greatly appreciated by the members.

The total membership of the club to 31st December, 1906, is 310, made up as follows:

Senior members 217

Junior members 12

Absent members 23

Life members 25

Tennis members 43

Total 310

Last year an effort was made to have a permanent course selected for holding the N. P. A. O. regatta. Last year the subject was brought up on our tentative list of the meeting of the association held at Nelson, and a resolution was passed favoring the motion, resulting in the course being established at Lake Washington.

The boating season opened last year by the holding of the first club regatta on the 15th May, 1906, which was successful in every way.

On the 24th of May, 1906, an invitation was extended to Vancouver to send down a crew to take part in the Victoria Regatta, which was accepted. Two days' practice were on the programme, in which the one against Vancouver proved successful. The crew consisted of: R. B. King, Fred, Ted, George, George, Simpson and P. Propper.

The local race was completed for by members of the association and the crew stroked by Y. Gray was successful.

Throughout the summer months a series of monthly club races were held, and the association wound up with a club regatta in August. The winners of the Flinders cup being G. S. Finkelson (stroke), R. Haddock (cox), J. Sommer (cox), and V. A. Wolfenden (cox).

Owing to the difficulty of getting members to leave their occupations for so long a time, and owing to the great expense in connection with the regatta, it was difficult for us to be able to send one crew to the N. P. A. O. regatta held at Nelson in July. Thanks to the generous support of the citizens of this city, we were able to send our crew, and we again take the opportunity of thanking those who contributed to the institution of our regatta.

The expense in connection with the boating this year has not been very heavy, as the revenue produced amounted to \$415, while the expenses amounted to \$118, made up as follows: Boating repairs, \$17.50; club regatta, \$92.50.

This committee would recommend that a new four-oared shell be purchased for 1907, and that accommodation for private boats be secured.

During the past year the club house has been kept in a general satisfactory condition, only a few minor repairs being found necessary.

The reading room has been well patronized and the reading matter kept up to date with most of the leading popular magazines and illustrated papers, together with the morning and evening papers of the city, and latterly the Seattle Daily Times was added to the list.

After the billiard table had been installed last February, the number of players wishing to play the game soon got beyond the capacity of one table. On the recommendation of the committee of management, the trustees were induced to authorize the purchase of an up-to-date pool table. To find room for this, considerable alterations were made in the upstairs dressing room, and a most comfortable room was the result. But we regret to say the efforts of the committee do not seem to have met with the approval of the members, as the table has been used so little. Your committee are of the opinion that the pool table would be supported a great deal better if it were near the billiard room instead of upstairs.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. DALLAN HELMCKEN,

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## DISCUSS GRANT TO INSTITUTION

## COUNCIL DIFFER AS TO SUM FOR TOURISTS

## The Aldermen Considered the Salary Question in Secret Session—Can Curtail Nuisance.

The special meeting of the city council last night, spent its public session in considering the application of the Tourist Association for an increased grant and in discussing the question raised the preceding night by the proposal to build a stable on North Park street.

Regarding the latter the city solicitors were of the opinion that the by-law required to cover the present case could be passed by the city council. But in doing this it was necessary to define: (a) What the term "closely settled district" meant; (b) the number of horses to be permitted in such a district; (c) the number of horses necessary to constitute a livery stable.

"A stable containing a large number

of stalls for horses and occupied would constitute a nuisance both as regards interference with the material comfort of the inhabitants as well from the health point of view, and it is within the powers of the city to pass a by-law prohibiting the erection of a stable in such parts of the city."

The aldermen having received the city solicitor's opinion as to their powers to prevent the erection of buildings likely to be a nuisance, then proceeded to the discussion of the application of the Tourist Association for a grant of \$7,500.

This provoked a long discussion, in which all the aldermen took part. There seemed to be no possibility of getting together on the proposition. Ald. Fell, Hall, Fullerton and Gleason, opposed the grant, while Ald. Vincent, Hanna, Henderson, Verrinder, Meston and Ross favored it.

The Mayor said that last year the association was at a disadvantage in starting its work through lack of funds. He had no wish to dictate to them, but if the association was to do good work it must have funds. Moreover, its main work was done in the early part of the year. The council should announce its policy so as to allow the association to outline the scope and character of the work it would undertake. Personally he favored the granting of the amount asked.

Ald. Vincent moved that the amount asked be not paid.

Ald. Fullerton moved in amendment that it be paid over.

Mayor Morley suggested that, which was for the benefit of all should be provided for by all.

Ald. Fell opposed the motion. The association had been of great benefit, but to finance it out of the city revenue would kill the spirit of independence in our citizens. The Agricultural Association was going to ask a similar grant. Let a referendum be submitted to the people.

Ald. Hall thought it was very questionable if the association were taken over by the city, whether the same benefit would arise. Some classes benefited more than others. We might spend \$7,000 or \$9,000 on advertising and visitors when they came would say it had been better spent on street improvement. Our finances were limited. Care should therefore be exercised or there would be as great a deficit this year as in former years. They would have a large deficit and nothing left for needed improvements.

Ald. Vincent said those who had supported it in the past would not put up any more subscriptions.

Ald. Henderson said all benefited and all should pay. He had been five years in the association. There was no one but said it should be taken out of the city revenue. The amount asked was

as little as it could be worked on effectively.

Ald. Vincent thought the citizens would be willing to pay a special tax if need be.

Ald. Verrinder wanted it referred by referendum to the people. It benefited all. It had done more good than any other institution in the city.

Ald. Gleason said all had only words of praise for the association, and he didn't feel justified in voting the amount asked. He favored voting four or five thousand. They should give them \$1,000 with which to start work.

Ald. Meston did not feel like voting \$7,500 without the sanction of the ratepayers.

Ald. Hall said there was a divergence of opinion as to whether the council could submit a referendum to the people as to whether they were in favor of raising money. The Mayor thought it could not be done while the city solicitor and several of the aldermen thought this could be done.

Mayor Morley said the people were determined not to support any association out of their private pockets. He was sure the people did not want a cheese-paring policy, and if it was necessary to put on an additional tax the people would support it. There was not a penny spent last year that did not bring back a hundred-fold. They were elected for this purpose. If they could not be trusted to deal with this matter they should go home and resign.

At this point City Clerk Dowler endeavored to pour oil upon the troubled waters by suggesting that they vote on the following instead of the original motion and amendment: "The council is of the opinion that \$7,500 should be set aside for the association."

The objection to this was very strenuous, and so it was dropped.

The vote was then taken and resulted as stated above.

Several requests for repairs to sidewalks and minor street improvements from various parts of the city were referred to the streets, bridges and sewers committee to report.

The annual loan by-law, providing for the borrowing of \$250,000 for the carrying on of the work of the city until the taxes begin to come in, was reconsidered and finally passed. Several small local improvements by-law completed the order of business for the first part of the evening.

His Worship then ordered the council chamber to be cleared, much to the disappointment of divers of the city employees who had courageously hung on throughout the dry details of civic business, hoping to find out how they stood for an increase, and the council proceeded to the consideration of the civic wage problem.

The business of this latter session was conducted strictly in secret, and although the session was late, it is understood that the whole matter was by no means finally disposed of, and that a further conference will be necessary. Petitions were dealt with from every branch of the civic service—from the policemen, the firemen, the day laborers, and the officials of the civic departments.

## CHARGE WITHDRAWN.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Feb. 6.—The personation charge against George H. Arnold fell through this morning by the prosecution suggesting a withdrawal. It turned out that the name on the list was of this youth, put on last March. If any charge could be brought against him it would be perjury on the ground that he swore falsely to his age when he applied for the registration of his name. He is alleged to be only nineteen years of age. No charge of perjury was laid against him and it is not at all likely that the matter will further be pressed.

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## SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AVERAGE IS LOWER

## Owing to the Sickness and Inclement Weather Monthly Returns Show a Falling Off.

Owing to illness and inclement weather during January only 25 per cent of the students of the various schools were present in their attendance. In this respect Kingston street school has the best record. The usual average daily percentage is 92 or 93 per cent, while this year it was below 80 in all schools except the High school, South Park and Rock Bay.

Below is given the summary of attendance for the month:

	Total	Attended	Daily Ave.	Perfect	Percent At.
High School	324	185.64	82.14	54	16.6
Sub High	64	47.33	73.95	8	12.5
Boys' Central	519	400.48	77.14	104	20.0
Girls' Central	453	284.61	62.86	57	12.6
North Ward	379	206.82	54.57	122	32.2
South Park	380	204.92	53.93	88	23.4
Victoria West	235	170.04	72.35	35	15.0
Spring Ridge	133	120.14	90.32	14	10.5
Kingston St.	106	122.04	115.51	31	29.2
Hillside	123	92.74	75.31	19	15.4
Rock Bay	70	56.30	80.42	15	21.4
Totals	2,758	2,139.96	77.48	597	21.6

## THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Greater Number of Books Issued Than Formerly—Popular Books of the Month.

During January, 2,667 books were issued by the public library. The greatest number issued in any one day was 168.

Of these the great majority are fiction, according to Dr. Hays, the librarian. Two hundred new books of this class were secured some time ago, and they are constantly in demand.

Myers' "Human Personality," Sir Henry Hawkins' "Reminiscences and Morley's "Life of Gladstone," in the order mentioned, have proved the most popular of more standard works.

Greater use is now being made of works of a technical nature, and the reference library is utilized more widely than formerly.

A clean sheet met the magistrate in the police court this morning.

## THE SALARY QUESTION.

Members of the Fire Brigade Claim to Be Most Poorly Paid.

Little could be learned from official resources regarding last night's discussion of the salary question. The mayor said simply that the committee arose and reported progress.

Those concerned in the raise were, however, more talkative. The members of the fire brigade especially so. They claim that they are the worst paid members of all. On duty twenty-four hours of the day and liable to be called out at any hour, their pay only ranges from \$35 to \$65 per month. They consider that this is unfair, and they believe their application will certainly be favorably considered.

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## SPORTING NEWS

### ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL INTERNATIONAL MATCH

A New York dispatch says that the selection of the all-American Association football team for the match against the English team on the Crystal Palace grounds, London, in April, will soon begin.

The contest, which will be the first real international "soccer" game ever played, is attracting widespread attention both in England and the United States, and considerable rivalry exists for positions on the team. In order that no partiality shall be shown, the American team will be selected purely on its merits.

Each player will be required to earn his position on the team. Influence will not be any recommendation, and the outlook for the match is very bright.

The recent visit of the Cornishian team together with the Pilgrims' trip in the fall of 1906, has done a good deal for "soccer" football, and it is intended to make the international match between the United States and England an unusual fixture.

Unlike other eleven which have been selected from the district in which the match happened to be played, the team which will go abroad next April will be drawn from every section of the country, and special attention will be paid to college players.

Details for the great match are almost completed and will make a new departure in Association football, placing America in the same class as England, Ireland, Australia and South Africa as a "soccer" center.

In order to give the Britishers an opportunity of witnessing the game the date of the contest will be arranged so as to fall on the Saturday preceding the final cup tie for the championship of England.

While the American team will be chosen from all sections of the country, the headquarters of the management will be in New York City. Only players with an absolutely clean amateur record will be considered.

It is probable that twenty-two men will be selected. These players will meet in a series of games for the purpose of selecting the final eleven. The practice matches will be played at Staten Island. One of the best amateurs in England, an international player of note, together with a British professional, will coach the team during the two weeks before leaving. It is intended to have the eleven go to England in the best possible shape. About fifteen men will comprise the team.

### THE RING

#### A GREAT RECORD.

Gans has a remarkable ring record. He has taken part in 147 battles, of which nine were draws and five were defeats. In forty-eight of his victories knock-outs were scored. Many of his bouts were no-decision affairs. He has literally fought his way to the top. He has been before the public for nearly twelve years, and has defeated such good men as "Spider" Sullivan, "Pat" Hawkins, "Spider" Kelly, Martin Clabery, "Hobbs" Dobbs, "Joe

Handley, Frank Erne, "Kid" McFarland, "Tom" Tracey, "Willie" Fitzgerald, George McFadden, "Jack" Blackburn, "Jimmy" Britt, Mike "Crazy" Sullivan and Battling Nelson. He won on a foul from Britt in five rounds, and was knocked out by Terry McGovern in two rounds, being off these fights being declared fakes.

### TO FIGHT GANS.

Joe Gans, of Baltimore, and Harry Lewis, of Philadelphia, have signed articles for a final fight for the lightweight championship of the world, at 133 pounds, for \$2,000 a side and the biggest purse offered. Each posted \$2,000.

### RUGBY FOOTBALL

#### PLAY NANAIMO.

On the 10th February the Victoria Rugby team will travel to Nanaimo and play a match against the local team. The fixture is resultant upon an invitation to the local team from Nanaimo. On the last occasion these two teams met Victoria won with ease, but since then the Nanaimo boys have been practicing strenuously, and this time have great hopes of a victory. The following will represent Victoria: Patterson, Sargison, Wynch, Thompson, H. Sargison, Newcombe, M. Sweeney, Miller, Sweeney, G. K. G. Long, Ford, Blackburne, Shanks and Spence. The game is timed to commence at 11 a.m. on Sunday next.

### WILL CANCEL GAMES.

The Vancouver News-Advertiser says: owing to the fact that it is getting late in the season and the schedule has been completely deranged owing to the unusually cold weather, the local Rugby Union has practically decided to cancel all fixtures for the remainder of the season. The ground at Recreation park is in a bad state at present, and as it will take some time to put it in shape for baseball and lacrosse the directors intend to commence work on it this month. The football boys will get down to work early next fall and will send a team to California in October.

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High prices have been paid for a number of Wagner manuscripts at a sale at Lepke's art auction house in Berlin. The original manuscript of the "Meistersinger" was sold for £100, and a collection of 30 letters written by Wagner was sold for £70.

## CANADIAN NEWS.

Grand Trunk Railway Improving Track Fair Wage Clause in Manitoba Government Contracts.

Toronto, Feb. 5.—The Grand Trunk is laying 100-lb. rails between here and Hamilton, rendering possible a speed of two miles per minute. These are the first 100-lb. rails to be laid in Canada.

### Fair Wage Clause.

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—All provincial government contracts in future will contain a fair wage clause, the legislature having adopted resolutions to that effect to-day.

### The Bonspiel.

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—The great bonspiel of the Manitoba branch B. C. C. C. will be opened to-morrow afternoon, when the first draw in the Dingwall trophy will be opened with about 100 rinks competing. The eastern rinks, skipped by Rev. Burns of Beampton, J. D. Flavelle and M. A. Rice of Lindsay, arrived to-day.

### Behind Time.

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—It took the express for Vancouver, leaving here at 10 o'clock last night, thirteen hours to reach Brandon, averaging ten miles an hour. It is heavily loaded with goods, mails and passengers for the Pacific Coast, and will not arrive there until Saturday or Sunday.

### On Way to Coast.

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—Gen. Supt. Marpole left for Vancouver to-night.

### Leaving the C. P. R.

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—J. W. Leonard, formerly assistant general manager of the western line of the Canadian Pacific, with headquarters at Winnipeg, and now assistant first vice-president of the Montreal, is about to sever his relations with the company. Mr. Leonard has for some time been in charge of construction work on the Ontario and Quebec division, and he will go into the contracting business, commencing with a large contract for the C. P. R. in Northern Ontario.

### Miners on Strike.

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 5.—There is no change in the strike situation among the Nova Scotia Coal Company's miners, who, to the number of a thousand, quit work late yesterday afternoon, because non-union miners refused to join the union.

### THREE DAYS LONGER.

Sale at Semi-Ready Tailoring Establishment Lasts Three More Days.

Only three days longer, in which to buy high class clothing and furnishings, as the big sale at the Semi-Ready Wardrobe closes Saturday at 11 p.m. the 9th inst. This sale has been a most successful one, and all purchasers have been more than satisfied with the bargains offered. Again the big price-cutting battle has been plunged, and greater bargains than ever will be offered for the last remaining days of this big sale.

All the balance of the boys' suit stock has been further reduced as the entire line of boys' goods must be cleared out in the next three days. Young men's suits, sizes 32 to 36, regular values \$12 and \$15, are now only \$5.95 per suit. Boys' three-piece suits run from \$1.00 per suit upwards, and boys' three-piece suits, start at \$1.85 per suit. Five hundred men's suits have been reduced from \$15.00 and



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12.00 to \$1.95, as these suits are all odd ones, and must be cleared out before Saturday next.

### WEALTH OF UNITED KINGDOM.

Deducting about \$200,000,000 for government property which could not be reckoned as realizable wealth, the total wealth of the United Kingdom was given, in a paper read before the Royal Statistical Society in London, as roughly \$2,000,000,000. If that sum were divided equally among the population, it would give to each man, woman and child £207, and this would represent, providing any safe investments were obtainable, £7 per head per annum, or 2s. 9d. a week, of about 4d. a day.

The car has a habit of spending more time in his study than almost any other ruler in the world. The car has been at work with him while he is at work in this room.

Andrew Miliken, who has traveled 2,500,000 miles on Canadian rivers, a purser, has just retired after forty-seven years of service.


### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Feb. 5.—5 a.m.—The barometer is now low over the northern portion of the province, and mild, rainy weather is general west of the Cascades. The temperature is rising, accompanied with snow, between the ranges, and in the prairie provinces milder weather is slowly spreading eastward.

For 26 hour ending 5 p.m. Thursday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate southerly winds unsettled and mild, with occasional rains. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, mostly easterly and southerly, unsettled and mild, with rain.

Reports: Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 41; minimum, 31; wind, 8 miles S.W.; rain, .5; weather, rain. New Westminster—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 38; minimum, 24; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 1.2; weather, cloudy. Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 38; minimum, 4; wind, calm; snow, 2; weather, cloudy. Edmonton—Barometer, 30.0; temperature, 3 below; minimum, 14 below; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.



## British Columbia Coast Service

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